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St. James's, June 4.

THIS Day being the Anniverſary of the King's Birth-Day, there was a numerous and brilliant Appearance of the Nobility, Foreign Miniſters, and other Perſons of Diſtinction, to compliment His Majeſty on that Occaſion. At Noon the Guns in the Park and at the Tower were fired; and in the Evening there was a Ball at Court, and Bonfires, Illuminations, and other Publick Demonſtrations of Joy throughout London and Weſtminſter.

AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 1ſt Day of *June*, 1763,

PRESENT,

The KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

THIS Day the Right Honourable Francis Earl of Hertford was, by His Majeſty's Command, ſworn of His Majeſty's moſt Honourable Privy-Council, and took his Place at the Board accordingly.

His Majeſty in Council was this Day pleaſed to appoint John Garland, of Wiſbich, Eſq; to be Sheriff of the Counties of Cambridge and Huntingdon, in the room of Iſaac Young, Eſq; deceaſed.

St. James's, June 1.

This Day the following Addreſs was preſented to His Majeſty, and read by Dr. Fothergill, accompanied by a Deputation from the People called Quakers, introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting.

To George the Third, King of Great Britain, and the Dominions thereunto belonging.

The humble Addreſs of His Proteſtant Subjects, the People called Quakers.

May it pleaſe the King,

BEING met in this our Annual Aſſembly from various Parts of Great Britain and Ireland, for the Worſhip of Almighty God, and the Promotion of Piety and Virtue, we embrace the Opportunity which the Reſtoration of Peace affords us, to teſtify our Affection to thy Royal Perſon, and Family; and our dutiful Submiſſion to thy Government.

To a People profeſſing that the Uſe of Arms is to them unlawful; a People who reverence the Glorious Goſpel Declaration of good Will to Men, and fervently wiſh for the univerſal Eſtabliſhment of Peace, its Return muſt be highly acceptable.

To ſtop the Effuſion of Blood, to eaſe the Burthens of thy People, and terminate the Calamities that affected ſo large a Part of the Globe, we are perſuaded were thy Motives to effect the preſent Pacification: Motives ſo juſt in themſelves, ſo full of Benevolence and Humanity, demand our united and cordial Approbation.

May the Sovereign of the Univerſe, who created all Nations of one Blood, diſpoſe the Minds of Princes by ſuch Examples, to learn other Means of reconciling their jarring Intereſts and Contentions, than by the Ruin of Countries, and the Deſtruction of Mankind.

The Proofs we have received of thy Royal Condeſcenſion and Indulgence, the laſting Impreſſions of Gratitude to the Memory of the Kings of thy Illuſtrious Houſe, fill our Hearts at this Time with the warmeſt Sentiments of Affection and Duty. Strongly impreſſed by ſuch Sentiments, we retire to our reſpective Habitations, with full Purpoſe, to cultivate, as much as in us lies, a Spirit of Harmony and Concord, ſo eſſentially neceſſary to the Dignity of the Crown, and Happineſs of the Subject.

May God! the Source of every Bleſſing, the Fountain of every Excellence, ever graciouſly direct thy Steps, and preſerve Thee long to rule over thy extenſive Dominions, with that Wiſdom, Moderation, and Equity, which effectually ſecure to Princes, the chearful Obedience of their People, and tranſmit their Names with deſerved Honour to Poſterity.

Signed in and on Behalf of our Yearly Meeting, held in London, the 28th of the Fifth Month, 1763.

To which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to return this moſt gracious Anſwer.

THeſe repeated Aſſurances of your Affection to My Perſon, and My Family, and of your Duty to My Government, are very agreeable to Me, and cannot fail to inſure to you the Continuance of My Protection.

The following Addreſs of the Lord Lieutenant and Cuſtos Rotulorum, Deputy Lieutenants, and Juſtices of the Peace of the County of Middleſex, and City and Liberty of Weſtminſter in the ſaid County, has been preſented to His Majeſty by the Earl of Northumberland, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

The humble Addreſs of the Lord Lieutenant and Cuſtos Rotulorum, the Deputy Lieutenants, and Juſtices of the Peace of the County of Middleſex, and City and Liberty of Weſtminſter in the ſaid County.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt faithful and loyal Subjects, humbly beg Leave to approach your Throne; and to expreſs the fervent, unfeigned and grateful Senſe we have of your Majeſty's true Patriotiſm, and ſignal Benevolence, in ſo ſeaſonably concluding a Peace with your Enemies, upon Terms of Moderation, Stability and Advantage to your Kingdoms; not doubting but this great Bleſſing (which, under God, we owe to your Humanity) will, by your Wiſdom, be improved, to the Benefit of the remoteſt Parts of your Dominions.

As Magiſtrates, bound in Duty and Conſcience to preſerve the Peace, and as loyal Subjects, urged by every Tie of Affection and Reſpect to the beſt of Sovereigns (who, in Publick Life, is the Great Patron of Liberty and Religion, and, in Private Life, the bright Example of every true Virtue) we cannot omit this Occaſion, of expreſſing our Abhorrence of all Attempts to leſſen the Dignity of your Perſon, and ſhade the Luſtre of your Throne; aſſuring your Majeſty of our zealous Endeavours in our ſeveral Stations, to ſupport your Majeſty's Authority, upon true Principles of Liberty, and to ſuppreſs all Deſigns

ſigns to diſturb that Union, which we truſt will be one great Characteriſtic of your Majeſty's Reign.

That your Majeſty may long continue to reign over a People gratefully loyal, flouriſhing, and free; honoured and beloved by your Subjects, eſteemed and feared by your Enemies, is the fervent Prayer of,

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,
Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects.

The following Anſwer of the General Aſſembly of the Church of Scotland to His Majeſty's moſt gracious Letter, has been preſented to His Majeſty by the Earl of Halifax, one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

WE recived your Majeſty's moſt gracious Letter, with the Reſpect and Gratitude which are due to ſuch a diſtinguiſhing Proof of your Royal Favour.

Your Majeſty's Approbation of our paſt Conduct, we conſider as the moſt agreeable Recompence we could have received for having done our Duty. Your Royal Declaration of your Reſolution to ſupport our Church in all Her Rights and Privileges, affords us the greateſt Satisfaction; and we rely upon it as the moſt perfect Security.

It ſhall be our Care, in Obedience to your Majeſty's Command, to exert ourſelves ſo zealouſly in diſcouraging Vice and Infidelity, as will ſhew how deſirous we are to merit the Confidence your Majeſty repoſes in us; and we deem it our peculiar Felicity, that we are ſubject to a Sovereign, who, by exciting us to our proper Work, ſhews us, that the faithful and conſcientious Diſcharge of our Duty is the moſt certain Recommendation to His Favour.

We thankfully aſcribe the Return of the ineſtimable Benefits of Peace to the Bleſſing of Divine Providence upon the Wiſdom and Steadineſs with which your Majeſty hath carried on the Negociations for that Salutary Purpoſe; and, as by the Definitive Treaty with your Enemies, your Majeſty hath gained Acquiſitions of vaſt Extent, and of great Importance to your Crown, which far exceed the moſt ſanguine Expectations of your Subjects at the Commencement of the War, and are fully adequate to the great Succeſſes of the Britiſh Arms, it hath been, and ſhall be our Care, at this Juncture, to inſtil into the Minds of our People, proper Sentiments of Gratitude towards your Majeſty, and of Thankfulneſs to Almighty God, whoſe Hand they diſcern and bleſs in the Conduct of this great Event.

We beg Leave to offer our humble Thanks to your Majeſty, for your Attention to the Propagation of Chriſtian Knowledge, and of the Reformed Religion in the Highlands and Iſlands of Scotland. It ſhall be our Endeavour to apply the Sum appropriated by your Royal Bounty for that Purpoſe, in ſuch a Manner as may beſt anſwer the generous and pious Intention with which it is beſtowed, and to exert the greateſt Zeal on our Part, to communicate the Bleſſings of Knowledge, and the Arts of Peace, to thoſe of our Countrymen, who have diſplayed their Valour during the War, with no leſs Benefit to Great Britain, than Glory to themſelves.

We have had Experience on ſo many former Occaſions, of the Loyalty, Integrity, and Prudence of the noble Lord, whom your Majeſty has appointed to repreſent your Royal Perſon in this General Aſſembly: We are ſo ſenſible of his Abilities to diſcharge this important Truſt, of his Zeal for Religion, and of his Attention to the true Intereſts of this Church, that we conſider your Majeſty's repeated Choice of him as an additional Mark of your Favour and Regard to us.

Permit us to aſſure your Majeſty, that we ſhall conduct our Deliberations and Proceedings with ſuch Temper and Moderation, with ſuch Brotherly Love and Unanimity, as, we truſt, ſhall ſecure to us the Continuance of your Royal Protection and Favour, which, next to the Approbation of that God, whom we ſerve, we eſteem our greateſt Honour and Happineſs.

That Almighty God may protect your Perſon, prolong your Days, and bleſs your Adminiſtration; that He may render the Peace, which you have concluded, as permanent as it is honourable; that you may behold the increaſing Felicity of your People; that you may be honoured as the Inſtrument of Divine Providence for their Good; and that, after reigning long in Righteouſneſs, and ruling in Judgment, you may receive the Recompence of an Heavenly Crown, are the earneſt Prayers of,

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,
Your Majeſty's moſt faithful, moſt obedient, and moſt loyal Subjects,
The Miniſters and Elders met in this National Aſſembly of the Church of Scotland.

Signed in our Name, in our Preſence, and at our Appointment, by

Edinburgh, *May* 28, 1763. *William Robertſon*, Moderator.

The following Addreſs of the General Aſſembly of the Church of Scotland has been preſented to the King by the Earl of Hallifax, one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Miniſters and Elders of the Church of Scotland, met in a National Aſſembly, embrace with Pleaſure this firſt Opportunity of preſenting our humble Congratulations upon the Birth of the Prince of Wales. As we are attached to your Majeſty from Love no leſs than from Duty; an Event, which contributes ſo much to your domeſtick Felicity, affords us the moſt ſincere Joy. As we are deeply ſenſible of our own Happineſs under your righteous and mild Adminiſtration, we could frame no better Wiſh for After-Ages, than that the ſame Bleſſings, which we enjoy, might be tranſmitted to them. We adore the Goodneſs of God, who hath heard our Prayers, and who now giveth us the Proſpect, that our Poſterity ſhall be governed by a Prince formed by your Majeſty's Precepts, and taught by your Example to be the Guardian of a free Conſtitution, and the Father of His People.

To our Expreſſions of Joy, on Account of this important Event, we beg your Majeſty's Permiſſion to add our warmeſt Congratulations on the Reeſtabliſhment of Peace. After a long War, the moſt extenſive, and the moſt ſucceſsful, but at the ſame Time the moſt burthenſome ever carried on by Great Britain, Peace became a deſirable Object to a Nation, whoſe Wealth and Power are derived from its Commerce. Your Majeſty, undazzled by the Splendour of continual Victories, and always attentive to the true Intereſts of your People, took early Meaſures for procuring them this neceſſary Bleſſing: And your Magnanimity and Steadineſs have accompliſhed the Salutary Work, which your Wiſdom and Humanity prompted you to undertake.

By a Definitive Treaty with your Enemies, the great Objects, for which the War was undertaken, are attained; the Poſſeſſions of chief Conſequence to Britain are ſecured; new Sources of Commerce are opened; and Territories are added to your Crown, more extenſive and of greater Value than have been acquired by any Nation ſince the Diviſion of Europe into great Kingdoms, and the Eſtabliſhment of a Balance of Power, have put a Stop to the Rapidity of Conqueſt. And as your Majeſty can now turn your whole Attention towards the Cultivation and the Encouragement of the Arts of Peace, which even under the Preſſure, and amidſt the Avocations of War, you did not neglect, theſe under your Royal Patronage muſt revive and flouriſh, and Britain, as it is the greateſt, will become the moſt poliſhed and illuſtrious Nation in Europe.

Nor are our Hopes of beneficial Conſequences, from the Return of Peace, confined to ourſelves alone. As the chief Obſtacles, which have hitherto prevented the Inſtruction of the American Nations are

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now removed, we truſt to your Majeſty's known Zeal for promoting true Religion, and to the Bleſſing of the Almighty upon your Endeavours, that the People, now under your Dominion, which know not God, ſhall at Length receive the Knowledge of that Holy Faith, which civilizes and refines the Manners of ſuch, at the ſame Time that it improves and ſanctifies their Hearts.

Permit us to aſſure your Majeſty, that Sentiments of Loyalty and Attachment towards their Gracious Sovereign, the Bleſſings of whoſe mild and paternal Government they have experienced, prevail univerſally among the People under our Care; and as, during the Continuance of War, their Courage in Defence of the Rights and Poſſeſſions of their Country, has not been inferior to that of their Fellow-Subjects; ſo they will be no leſs zealous, on the Return of Peace, to expreſs their Love and Fidelity to your Majeſty's Perſon, and to contribute towards the internal Vigour and conſtitutional Security of the Kingdom.

That Almighty God may bleſs your Adminiſtration, and prolong your Days; that He may preſerve the Prince of Wales to be your Comfort and our Hope; that He may render the Peace, which in His great Mercy He hath reſtored, as permanent as it is honourable and advantageous, are the earneſt Prayers of,

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,
Your Majeſty's moſt faithful, moſt dutiful, and moſt loyal Subjects,
The Miniſters and Elders met in this National Aſſembly of the Church of Scotland.
Signed in our Name, in our Preſence, and at our Appointment, by
William Robertſon, Moderator.

Edinburgh, *May* 28, 1763.

The following Addreſs of the Miniſters and Elders of the Church of Scotland has been preſented to the Queen: Which Addreſs Her Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

WE His Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Miniſters and Elders of the Church of Scotland, met in a National Aſſembly, take this firſt Opportunity of preſenting our humble Congratulations to your Majeſty upon the Birth of the Prince of Wales. Our Attachment to His Majeſty's Illuſtrious Houſe, and our Love of our happy Conſtitution, fill us with the moſt ſincere Pleaſure, on Account of an Event which contributes to the Preſervation of the former, and the Perpetuity of the latter. Our Admiration of your Royal Virtues, and our Solicitude for the Happineſs of a Queen, ſo much and ſo deſervedly beloved by our Gracious Sovereign, lead us to participate deeply in your Majeſty's Joy, on a Circumſtance which increaſes your domeſtick Felicity, muſt endear you to the King, and completes the Hopes and Wiſhes of the Nation.

That Almighty God may prolong your Days, as a Bleſſing to the King, and the Joy of His People; that He may preſerve the Prince of Wales for your Comfort, and our Hope; that He may perpetuate and increaſe your domeſtick Happineſs, and add to it all Spiritual and Divine Bleſſings, are the earneſt Prayers of,

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,
His Majeſty's moſt faithful, moſt dutiful, and moſt loyal Subjects,
The Miniſters and Elders met in this National Aſſembly of the Church of Scotland.
Signed in our Name, in our Preſence, and at our Appointment, by
William Robertſon, Moderator.

Edinburgh, *May* 28, 1763.

The following Addreſs of the Dean, Deputy Steward, High Bailiff, Deputy Bailiff, Chief Burgeſſes, Burgeſſes, High Conſtable, and Aſſiſtant Burgeſſes of the City and Liberty of Weſtminſter, has been preſented to His Majeſty: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's dutiful and faithful Subjects the Dean, Deputy Steward, High Bailiff, Deputy Bailiff, Chief Burgeſſes, Burgeſſes, High Conſtable and Aſſiſtant Burgeſſes of this your Majeſty's ancient City and Liberty of Weſtminſter, truly ſenſible of the many Bleſſings which we enjoy under your mild and equitable Government, humbly preſume to offer up our unfeigned Congratulations to your Majeſty, for delivering us from the Calamities of War, by a ſafe and honourable Peace; accompliſhed through your Majeſty's Wiſdom, with ſo much Moderation and humanity, as to fill us with a well-grounded Hope, that the Bleſſing will be not only happy in its Effects, but long in its Duration.

Your Majeſty hath hereby given the ſtrongeſt Proofs of your Paternal Affection for your People; and ſhewn how much you have at Heart the Good and Proſperity of your Kingdoms.

Sincerely affected by theſe inеſtimable Bleſſings, we beg Leave with all Humility to aſſure your Majeſty of our unalterable Attachment to your Sacred Perſon, Dignity, and Government; and of our chearful and ready Obedience to the Laws; by diſcountenancing every Attempt, that may have the leaſt Tendency to diſunite your Subjects, or leſſen their Affections to your Royal Perſon and Family.

May your Majeſty long continue to reign over us, and enjoy the Fruits of that Peace which you have concluded with ſo much Compaſſion for the Good of Mankind; and may Religion and Liberty be ever ſacred and inviolable under the Auſpices of your Majeſty's Protection.

Given under our Common Seal this Firſt Day of June, in the Year of our Lord, One thouſand ſeven hundred and ſixty-three.

The following Addreſs of the Deputy Mayor, Recorder, and Burgeſſes of the Borough of Lymington, having been tranſmitted by Harry Burrard, Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament, has been preſented to His Majeſty by Adam Drummond, Eſq; the other Repreſentative, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Deputy Mayor, Recorder, and Burgeſſes of the Borough of Lymington, with Hearts full of Joy, beg Leave to congratulate your Majeſty, on the happy Return of Peace to theſe Kingdoms. Your Majeſty has manifeſted a great Tenderneſs of Heart, not only to your own Subjects, but to all the World, by your putting an End to ſo expenſive and bloody a War, in which your Majeſty's Arms were ſo victorious, and at a Time when your Fleet and Armies were a Terror to your Enemies: By theſe happy Succeſſes, your Majeſty's Dominions are greatly extended, in many Parts of the Globe, which opens to your Subjects Room for the Extenſion of Trade and Commerce, which by increaſing our Manufactories, may in due Time leſſen the Burthens the People have borne in ſo Juſt and Neceſſary a War: Theſe (may it pleaſe your Majeſty) are our ardent Prayers; and that the Almighty may grant your Majeſty Health and long Life, to reign over a Free and a Happy People; and that all your Subjects may have a Grateful Senſe of the many Bleſſings they have enjoyed, under your Majeſty's moſt mild and gracious Government, are our greateſt Wiſhes and Deſires.

Given under our Common Seal, in the Town-hall, this Twenty-fifth Day of May, 1763.

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The following Addreſs of the Provoſt, Magiſtrates and Town Council of the Burgh of Dunbar, having been tranſmitted to the Earl of Halifax, one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been preſented to His Majeſty: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

The humble Addreſs of the Provoſt, Magiſtrates and Town Council of the Burgh of Dunbar.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Provoſt, Magiſtrates and Town Council of the Burgh of Dunbar, in Common Council aſſembled, humbly beg Leave to approach your Throne, and with Hearts full of the warmeſt Affection and Gratitude to your Majeſty, to teſtify and declare our great Joy and Satisfaction on the Happy Concluſion of the late bloody and expenſive War, by a Safe, Honourable, and Glorious Peace; a Peace which puts us in Poſſeſſion of an immenſe Territory, and lays a ſolid Foundation for the Extenſion of the Britiſh Commerce.

We owe this great Bleſſing, under God, to your Majeſty, who by the Wiſdom of your Councils, and the good Conduct and Bravery of your Fleets and Armies, brought our late Enemies to Reaſon; and from this great and ſalutary Work of our own Peace, your Majeſty has the further Glory of diffuſing the Bleſſings of Peace over all Europe.

That your Majeſty's Reign may be long and proſperous over a loyal and united People, cultivating the Arts of Peace, and the real Intereſts of their Country; and that all Factions in Oppoſition to a Prince, who glories in the Good of His People, and makes the Laws of the Land the Rule of His Government, may for ever ceaſe and be annihilated, is our moſt ſincere Wiſh and hearty Prayer.

Signed at Dunbar, the 25th of May 1763, in our Preſence and by our Appointment,

Charles Fall, Provoſt.

The following Addreſs of the Magiſtrates and Town-Council of Elgin, has been preſented to His Majeſty by James Grant, Eſq; Repreſentative in Parliament for the County of Elgin and Forres, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in waiting: Which Addreſs his Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Magiſtrates and Town-Council of Elgin.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Magiſtrates and Town-Council of Elgin, humbly beg Leave to approach your Sacred Perſon, and to congratulate you on Occaſion of the late Treaty of Peace, by which you have put an honourable Period to a War, which though juſt and neceſſary, and conducted with the greateſt Wiſdom and Reſolution, was attended with many diſtreſsful and depopulating Circumſtances to your Majeſty's Subjects, and particularly to theſe Northern Parts of your Dominions.

Your Majeſty's undertaking to reconcile the Differences amongſt the ſeveral Empires and States of Europe; your overcoming the many Difficulties artfully contrived to obſtruct this deſirable Return of public Tranquility, and your obtaining many ſubſtantial Advantages to your Subjects, are new Proofs of your diſtinguiſhed Greatneſs of Mind, and of the Wiſdom, Generoſity, and Steadineſs of your Councils.

Our Minds are impreſſed with the deepeſt Senſe of Gratitude to your Majeſty on this Account, and we have the utmoſt Confidence in your Wiſdom and Goodneſs, that this happy Event ſhall be improved in all the uſeful Branches of Civil Policy, to the real Benefit and Advantage of your Subjects, and towards compleating the Glories of your Majeſty's Reign.

We are truly ſenſible of the many Bleſſings, both of a Religious and Civil Nature, which we enjoy under your Majeſty's auſpicious Government, and moſt ſincerely pray that you Reign over us may be very long, and as proſperous, glorious, and eaſy to yourſelf, as it is beneficial and happy to your People. And we beg Leave to aſſure you Majeſty, that we will do every Thing in our Power to promote Religion, Virtue and Induſtry, and to put all Reſtraints on Licentiouſneſs, which we eſteem the ſureſt Marks of an unſhaken Loyalty to your Majeſty, and the moſt firm Supports of a free, a great, and independent Kingdom.

The following Addreſs of the Provoſt, Magiſtrats and Town Council of the Burrow of Drumfries, has been preſented to His Majeſty by his Grace the Duke of Queenſberry: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Provoſt, Magiſtrats and Town Council of the Burrow of Drumfries.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

WE beg Leave to approach your Royal Perſon, and to offer our moſt grateful and ſincere Congratulations to your Majeſty, on the happy Reeſtabliſhment of Peace, upon Conditions ſo Honourable to your Crown, and Advantageous to your People.

Your Majeſty's Wiſdom and Vigour in conducting the vaſt Operations of the late War, demand our utmoſt Admiration and Eſteem.—To this Cauſe, under God, and the Valour and Prudence of your Fleets and Armies, we impute all our Glorious Succeſſes Abroad, and our Peace and Security at Home.

Your Majeſty's Magnanimous and Generous Interpoſition for Peace, in the Midſt of Victory and Conqueſt, became the Humanity of a Conqueror, and the Dignity of a Britiſh King.—We cannot enough admire your Fortitude and paternal Goodneſs, in the Concluſion of this Peace, in Terms ſo equitable and explicit, by which a vaſt Extent of Territory is added to your Crown.—New Sources of Trade and Commerce are thereby opened to your Subjects; and from theſe we may not only hope to ſettle our Happineſs on a ſolid and laſting Foundation, but by a proper Improvement of the Advantages thus glorioufly obtained, we may add to our Felicity all the Riches Trade can furniſh, and all the Honour Power can beſtow.—With theſe Enjoyments we do expect, under your Majeſty's auſpicious Patronage, to ſee theſe Nations become as eminent in the Arts of Peace, as they are now in Military Renown.

May your Majeſty long live to enjoy the happy Fruits of this Peace, and receive the grateful Returns of a Free and Happy People.——As your Majeſty has declared your Reſolution to found your own Happineſs on that of your People, may your Tranquility never be interrupted by that ſcandalous Abuſe of true Liberty, which too often reſults from factious Animoſity and diſappointed Ambition:—And may your Majeſty and your amiable Conſort, be the happy Inſtruments to bleſs theſe Nations with a Race of Princes, formed in their Minds and Manners like their Royal Parents, to reign over us to lateſt Poſterity.

Signed in Preſence and by Appointment of the Council,

Ebenezer Hepburn, Provoſt.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen Burgeſſes and Commonalty of the Town and County of Poole, has been preſented to His Majeſty: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, Burgeſſes and Commonalty of the Town and County of Poole.

May it pleaſe our moſt gracious Sovereign,

TO permit us, your Majeſty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, Burgeſſes and Commonalty of your Majeſty's Town and County

of

of Poole, to congratulate your Majeſty on the Conſequence of a Juſt and Succeſsful War, a Peace, that has given that Security to your Majeſty's Dominions in America, which was the firſt Object of the War; conſiderably enlarged the Poſſeſſions of the Crown of Great Britain; and will greatly extend the Commerce of its Subjects.

Fully convinced of your Majeſty's Paternal Affection for your People, of your tender Care and Concern for their Intereſt and Happineſs, and utterly abhorring every Sentiment of Diſreſpect to your Dignity, we humbly beg Leave to declare our entire Acquieſcence in your Majeſty's Wiſdom and Moderation, in giving Repoſe to Europe, and preventing the further Effuſion of human Blood.

It is our ſincere and fervent Wiſh, that the flouriſhing State of the Trade of your Majeſty's Subjects, and a Cultivation of all the Arts of Peace, may add a Luſtre to your Crown, equal to that derived from the Succeſſes of the War; and that the Bleſſings of your Majeſty's Reign may be continued to Poſterity by your Majeſty's Deſcendants.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor and Commonalty of the City of New Sarum, has been preſented to His Majeſty by Edward Bouverie, Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor and Commonalty of the City of New Sarum.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor and Commonalty of the City of New Sarum, in Common Council aſſembled, beg Leave to approach your Sacred Perſon, with our unfeigned Congratulations on the Completion of your unwearied Endeavours, in putting an End to the Calamities of War, and reſtoring to your People the Bleſſings of Peace.

We acknowledge, with the utmoſt Thankfulneſs, your Majeſty's Paternal Regard for your People, and their Poſterity, in this great and glorious Work, accompliſhed, under the Divine Bleſſing, by your Majeſty's Zeal and Magnanimity in the vigorous Proſecution of the Juſt and Neceſſary War, and the unparalleled Bravery and Succeſs of your Forces by Sea and Land; and we doubt not but that, by the great Prudence and Precaution which have been uſed in Framing thereof, this Peace will be rendered ſafe and laſting, and the vaſt Acquiſition of Territory thereby added to the Britiſh Throne, effectually ſecured, to the Honour and Dignity of your Crown, the Extention of Trade, and the Happineſs and Protection of all your Majeſty's Subjects.

In this Situation, under your Majeſty's mild and juſt Government, we have nothing more to wiſh and pray for, than that your Reign may be long, happy, and undiſturbed; and that the Great Diſpoſer of Events would proſper all your Majeſty's Councils with Succeſs, equal to the Uprightneſs of your Royal Intentions.

Given under the Common Seal of our Corporation, the Twenty-third Day of May, in the Third Year of your Majeſty's Auſpicious Reign.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, and Capital Burgeſſes of the Borough of Shaftesbury, having been tranſmitted by the Earl of Shaftesbury, Recorder of the ſaid Borough, to the Earl of Egremont, one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been preſented to His Majeſty: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, and Capital Burgeſſes of your ancient Borough of Shafton otherwiſe Shaftesbury in the County of Dorſet.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Recorder, and Capital Burgeſſes of Shaftesbury aforeſaid, crave your Majeſty's Permiſſion humbly to accept the Tender of our beſt and moſt ſincere Acknowledgments, upon your compleating the ſalutary Work of reſtoring Peace to your Subjects; and at the ſame Time, extending that Happineſs through the Reſt of Europe.

The various Inſtances of Goodneſs beſtowed by your Majeſty on your Subjects, ſince your Acceſſion to the Throne, fill our Hearts with a lively Senſe of Gratitude. We ſhall, by our fervent Zeal for your Majeſty and Royal Family, endeavour, on all Occaſions, effectually to expreſs a due Senſe of thoſe, by curbing, as far as in us lies, Licentiouſneſs, (ſo deſtructive to Freedom) and carrying into Execution the Laws againſt Vice and Immorality, and, in general, diſcharging the Truſt committed to us with Fidelity and Diligence.

In Witneſs whereof, we the ſaid Mayor, Recorder, and Capital Burgeſſes, in Common-Council aſſembled, in the New Guildhall for the ſaid Borough, have hereunto ſet our Hands, and cauſed our Common Seal to be affixed, the Thirty-firſt Day of May, in the Year of our Lord, One thouſand ſeven hundred and ſixty-three.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen and Common-Council of the City of Bath, has been preſented to His Majeſty: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty.

WE the Mayor, Aldermen and Common-Council of the ancient and loyal City of Bath, do beg Leave to congratulate, and moſt humbly to thank your Majeſty, for an adequate and advantageous Peace, which you have graciouſly procured for your People, after a long and very expenſive, though neceſſary and glorious War, which your Majeſty, upon your Acceſſion to the Throne, found your Kingdoms engaged in.

And we take the Liberty to aſſure your Majeſty, that upon all Occaſions we ſhall be ready to give the moſt evident Proofs of the trueſt Zeal and Duty, which the moſt dutiful Subjects can teſtify to the moſt gracious and beſt of Princes.

In Teſtimony whereof, we have hereunto affixed our Common Seal, the Twenty-fifth Day of May, One thouſand ſeven hundred and ſixty-three.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, High Steward, Recorder, Bailiffs, Aldermen and Capital Burgeſſes of the Borough of Dorcheſter in the County of Dorſet, having been tranſmitted by the Earl of Shaftesbury, their High Steward, to the Earl of Egremont, one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been preſented to His Majeſty: Which Addreſs His Majeſty waspleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, High Steward, Recorder, Bailiffs, Aldermen and Capital Burgeſſes of the Borough of Dorcheſter in the County of Dorſet.

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, High Steward, Recorder, Bailiffs, Aldermen and Capital Burgeſſes of the Borough of Dorcheſter, in all Humility intreat your Majeſty's Acceptance of our moſt ſincere Congratulations on the Concluſion of your Majeſty's benevolent Endeavours for reſtoring Peace to your Kingdoms. In accompliſhing which important Event, your Majeſty has demonſtrated true Greatneſs of Mind, in ſhewing Moderation in the Tide of Succeſs;

ceſs; by which Conduct you have given Peace to your own Subjects, and delivered Europe in general from the Calamities of War.

Duly ſenſible of the Happineſs we enjoy under your Majeſty's Government, and truly grateful for the Benefits we receive from it, we beg Permiſſion humbly to aſſure your Majeſty of our moſt firm and inviolable Attachment to your Perſon and Royal Family: And that we will, on our Parts, (as is our Duty) to the utmoſt of our Power, where we are concerned, conſtantly reſtrain all Licentiouſneſs and Diſſoluteneſs of Manners; being perfectly convinced, that preſerving Morality and good Order, with proper Reverence to Authority, are Things eſſentially requiſite for the Security of a Free People.

Dated at the Guildhall of the ſaid Borough, the Thirty-firſt Day of May, One thouſand ſeven hundred and ſixty-three.

Copenhagen, May 24. Count Moltke, the Grand Marſhal, has received a Patent, entitling him to a Seat in the Privy Council.

His Daniſh Majeſty has been pleaſed to confer the Order of the Elephant upon M. d'Oſten, Privy Counſellor of Conference, and Director of the Cuſtom-Houſe in the Sound.

Count Haxthauſen is recalled from Ruſſia, and to be ſucceeded by the Chamberlain M. d'Oſten.

Letters from Stockholm mention the Death of Senator Count Bielke, at the Age of 79.

Hague, May 31. The King of Pruſſia is expected at Weſel about the 8th of June.

Admiralty Office, May 16, 1763.

His late Majeſty having been graciouſly pleaſed, by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10th *of June*, 1733, *to eſtabliſh certain Rules and Orders for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commiſſion and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy: Theſe are to give Notice, that Copies of the ſaid Rules and Orders are lodged with the Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Navy at Chatham, Portſmouth, and Plymouth; as alſo with the Clerks of the Checque at Deptford, Woolwich, and Sheerneſs; and with the Naval Officers at Harwich, Deal, and Kinſale; where all ſuch Widows as intend to lay in their Claims, may be informed of all Particulars which entitle them to the Benefit of the ſaid Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Purpoſe. But ſuch Widows as live at too great a Diſtance from the Places above-mentioned, may apply by Letter to Mr. Belſon, at the Admiralty Office, who will ſend them all neceſſary Information. And the Governors of the ſaid Charity intending to diſtribute to the Widows of Sea Officers who died before the* 30th *of Auguſt* 1732, *as well as to the Widows of thoſe who died ſince that Time, whoſe Circumſtances come within the Rules of the Eſtabliſhment, ſuch Monies as may be due to them on the* 31ſt *of May inſtant; This is to give Notice thereof, that any Widows who have not yet applied, and intend to lay in their Claims, may do ſo as ſoon as poſſible; and that all ſuch Widows whoſe Claims have been already allowed, may ſend or bring to this Office, by the* 31ſt *of this Inſtant, the Affidavits required by the Rules, in order to their being continued upon the Penſion or Bounty.*

Victualling Office, June 1, 1763.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wedneſday the 15th *Inſtant, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to ſell to the higheſt Bidder, Several Lots of Serviceable Red Port Wine and French Brandy, lying in His Majeſty's Stores at Portſmouth.*

A Depoſit of Twenty-five Pounds per Cent. is to be made on the Amount of each Lot, at the Time of Sale; and if the Remainder is not paid within Thirty Days after, and the Particulars taken away, the Depoſit Money is to be forfeited, and the Goods are to remain the Property of the Crown.

The other Conditions of the Sale may be ſeen at the Secretary's Office; or by applying to Mr. Oakes, Agent for the Victualling at Portſmouth.

Pay Office in Broad-ſtreet, June 1, 1763.

Whereas it frequently happens, that the Widows and Repreſentatives of Sailors belonging to His Majeſty's Service who die at Sea or in Foreign Parts, ignorantly apply to the Eccleſiaſtical Court of the Juriſdiction neareſt to the Place where ſuch Widows and Repreſentatives happen to live, in order to obtain Adminiſtration or Probats of the Wills of ſuch Seamen.

And whereas no Wages, due to Seamen as aforeſaid, can legally or ſafely be paid, as the Law now ſtands, on producing any Adminiſtrations not granted by, or Wills which have not been proved in, the Prerogative Court of the See of Canterbury, held at Doctors Commons, London: In order therefore to ſave unneceſſary Trouble and Expence to ſuch Widows or Repreſentatives, Notice is hereby given, that they ſhould not apply for any Wages due to the Deceaſed, until they have taken out Letters of Adminiſtration in the ſaid Prerogative Court, and in no other whatever.

And whereas the Widows and next of Kin of Seamen are ſometimes deterred from proving their Wills and Adminiſtring, by a Notion, that the Fees and Expences attending the ſame are ſo large, that it is not worth their While to entitle themſelves to receive Wages which amount only to ſmall Sums.

Notice is hereby given, that the Charge at Doctors Commons of taking Adminiſtrations or proving the Wills, in common Form, of Seamen dying in the Pay of His Majeſty's Navy, by the Widows, Children, Fathers, Mothers, Brothers or Siſters of ſuch Seamen where the Effects of the Deceaſed are under the ſeveral Rates of Five Pounds, Twenty Pounds, Forty Pounds, and Sixty Pounds, by Commiſſions or otherwiſe, amount to no more than the reſpective Sums particularly ſpecified in the Table or Schedule hereunder mentioned, Stamps Office and Proctors Fees all included.

A Schedule or Table of the Charges at Doctors Commons, of taking Adminiſtrations, or proving Wills, in common Form, of Seamen dying in the Pay of His Majeſty's Navy, by the Widows, Children, Fathers, Mothers, Brothers or Siſters of ſuch Seamen, diſtinguiſhed according to the Amount of the Deceaſed's Effects, and as taken without or by Commiſſion, and wherein Stamps, and all Office and Proctors Fees are included.

ADMINISTRATIONS.

Where the Deceaſed's Effects are under			Total of the Charge if without Commiſſion.			Total of the Charge if by Commiſſion.		
l.	s.	d.	l.	s.	d.	l.	s.	d.
5	0	0	0	6	0	0	12	0
20	0	0	0	9	6	1	0	6
40	0	0	1	3	0	1	16	6
60	0	0	1	4	0	1	17	6
PROBATES.								
5	0	0	0	6	0	0	12	0
20	0	0	0	6	0	0	18	0
40	0	0	1	1	0	1	15	6
60	0	0	1	2	0	1	16	6

Cuſtom Houſe, London, June 3, 1763.

The Receiver-General of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms gives Notice, That he ſhall be ready, on the 13th *of June inſtant, and the four following uſual Days of Payment, to pay all Out-Port Corn-Debentures that became due between the* 23d *of March* 1763, *excluſive, and the* 2d *of May following, incluſive, without Intereſt.*

Royal Exchange Aſſurance Office, London, June 1, 1763.

The Court of Directors of the Royal Exchange Aſſurance Company do hereby give Notice, That their Transfer Books will be ſhut from Tueſday the 14th *Inſtant, to Thurſday the* 14th *of July next: And that a General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at their Office on the Royal Exchange, on Wedneſday the* 22d *Inſtant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, to conſider of a Dividend.*

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South Sea House, London, June 2, 1763.

The Court of Directors of the South Sea Company give Notice, That the Transfer Books of New South Sea Annuities will be shut on Thursday the 30th instant, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Tuesday the 2d of August following.

That the Transfer Books of 3 per Cent. Annuities 1751, will be shut on Thursday the 16th instant at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Thursday the 14th of July next.

That the Transfer Books of the Capital Stock will be shut on Friday the 1st of July next at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Wednesday the 3d of August following.

That the Warrants for the Half-Year's Interest, due the 5th of July next, on the New South Sea Annuities, will be paid on Friday the 5th of August following; on which Day the South Sea Stock Transfer Books will be shut.

And that the Warrants for the Half Year's Dividend on the Capital Stock, also due on the 5th of July next, will be paid on Tuesday the 9th of August; on which Day the Transfer Books of New South Sea Annuities will be shut.

East India House, June 1, 1763.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do hereby give Notice,

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall Street, on Wednesday the 22d of this Instant June, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

That the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be shut on Thursday the 16th Day of said June, at Two of the Clock, and opened again on Thursday the 14th Day of July next.

That the Dividend Warrants on the said Stock, due on the 5th Day of July next, will be ready to be delivered on Friday the 5th Day of August following.

Equivalent Office, June 1, 1763.

The Court of Directors of the Equivalent Company give Notice, That the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut on Wednesday the 22d of this instant June, and continue so till Wednesday the 6th of July next, in order to settle the Dividend of Two per Cent. due the 5th of July next; and that the Warrants for the said Dividend will be ready to be delivered out and paid on Wednesday the said 6th of July next, and afterwards every Wednesday from Eleven in the Forenoon to One in the Afternoon, at the Equivalent House in Warnford Court Throgmorton Street, London, and at their Office in Edinburgh.

James Mathias, *Secretary.*

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships Æolus and Alborough, who were actually on Board at Taking the Perriere, Privateer, That they will be paid their respective Shares of the said Prize on Board their respective Ships, viz. the former at Plymouth, on the 18th of July 1763, for the Hull and Bounty, and the latter at Portsmouth, on the 7th of June 1763, for the Hull only; and the Shares not then demanded, will be paid the first Monday in every Month, for Three Years afterwards, at the Exeter Inn at Plymouth

John Lloyd, *of Plymouth, Agent.*

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Garland, who were actually on Board at the Taking the St. John Evangelist on the 6th of September 1762, That they will be paid their respective Shares of the said Prize, at the King's Arms Tower Hill, on Wednesday the 15th of June 1763: And the Shares Remaining unpaid, will be recalled at said Place, the first Thursday in every Month, for three Years to come.

Edward Payne, *of London,*
John Lloyd, *of Plymouth,* } *Agents.*

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Lyon, who were actually on board at Taking, in Company with His Majesty's Ships Prince Frederick and Torbay, the Zephir French Frigate, that they will be paid their respective Shares of the Produce of the said Prize and Bounty-Bill for her, the first Monday in July 1763, at the Sign of the Flower-pot in Bishopsgate Street near the South Sea House. And the Shares not then paid, will be recalled at the said Place, the first Monday in every Month for three Years.

Tyringham Stephens,
John Le Gros,
Noah Le Cras, } *of London, Agents for the Lyon.*

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That for the Encouragement of industrious and good People to settle there, the Proprietor of the said Island is to grant, in Feu, a large Piece of Ground in the Town of Stornoway in the said Island, in different Lots, by Charters and Conveyances, required by the Law of Scotland, for the Security of Builders and Adventurers; each Lot to consist of 60 Yards by 15, sufficient for a Dwelling-house, Garden, and Ware-houses, to such Persons as are inclinable to settle and build there, for Payment of a small yearly Acknowledgment, by way of Ground Rent or Feu Duty.

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